

## FRENCH

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<b>A</b>				
abri, abrite .....	shelter, sheltered	chantier .....	dockyard	
aigu.....	pointed, sharp	chapelle.....	chapelle	
aiguille .....	needle	charbon .....	coal	
amer .....	landmark, beacon	chasse.....	a rapid discharge of water from reservoir in order to clear out a channel	
amont .....	upstream, landward	chateau .....	castle	
anse .....	bay, cove	chateau d'eau .....	water tower	
appontement.....	landing stage	chausee.....	bank, causeway	
argile .....	clay	chemin de fer .....	railroad	
arriere-port .....	inner port	cheminee .....	chimney	
attennissage.....	drying, making land, landfall	chenal .....	channel	
aval .....	downstream, seaward	clocher .....	steeple, belfry	
avant-port .....	outer port	coffre .....	mooring buoy	
azur.....	blue	col .....	neck, mountain pass	
<b>B</b>				
babord .....	port	colline .....	hill	
baie.....	bay	compas .....	compass	
balise .....	beacon	coquilles .....	shells	
baliser.....	to mark	cote .....	coast	
banc .....	bank	courant .....	current, stream	
barree.....	bar	courant de flot .....	flood tidal stream	
bas .....	low	courant de jusant .....	ebb tidal stream	
basse mer.....	low water	couvent .....	convent	
basse.....	shoal	crete .....	ridge, crest	
bassin a flot .....	wet basin	crique .....	creek	
bassin .....	basin, dock	croix .....	cross	
bassin d'echouage.....	tidal basin where vessels ground	cru .....	freshet or flood	
bateau de sauvetag .....	lifeboat	<b>D</b>		
batterie .....	battery	darse .....	basin	
blanc.....	white	debarcadere .....	wharf, landing place	
bleu.....	blue	decouvrant .....	uncovering, drying	
bois.....	woods	detroit.....	strait, narrow	
bouche .....	mouth of a river	deversoir .....	weir	
boue.....	mud	digue .....	mole, breakwater	
bouee a cloche.....	bell buoy	douane .....	customs	
bouee a siflet .....	whistle buoy	droit.....	right (side)	
bouee .....	buoy	duc d'albe .....	piled dolphin	
bouee lumineuse .....	light buoy	dur .....	hard	
boussole .....	compass	<b>E</b>		
brigant; brisants.....	shoal; breakers	echelle de meree .....	tide gauge	
brise-lames .....	breakwater	echelle .....	scale	
brouillard.....	fog	echouage .....	beaching	
brume .....	mist	ecluse .....	lock of a canal or basin, sluice	
butte .....	knoll, mound	ecueil.....	rock, reef	
<b>C</b>				
caboteur.....	coaster	eglise .....	church	
cale .....	ramp, slip	encablure .....	cable's length	
canal .....	canal, channel	entree .....	entrance, mouth of 36 mole	
cap .....	cape, headland	epave .....	wreck	
carre .....	square	epi .....	short mole, spur	
chaine .....	chain, range of mountains	escarpe .....	bluff	
champ-de-tir.....	firing range	est.....	east	
		estuaire .....	estuary	
		etale.....	slack water	
		etang.....	late	

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etiage .....	low-water mark of a river	massif .....	main group of mountains
etier .....	a creek which can receive small vessels	menhir .....	a large raised stone
		mer .....	sea
		meridional .....	southern
		milieu .....	middle
		mole .....	mole, pier
		molle .....	soft
		mont, montagne .....	mount, mountain
		morte-eau .....	neap tide
		mouillage .....	anchorage
		moulr .....	mole-or pierhead
		N	
		neuf .....	new
		nez .....	nose, promontory
		niveau .....	level
		noeud .....	knot
		noir .....	black
		nord .....	north
		nouveaulle .....	new
		O	
		occidental .....	western
		onde .....	wave
		oriental .....	eastern
		ouest .....	west
		P	
		passe .....	passage, pass
		pertuis .....	opening or strait
		petit .....	small
		phare .....	lighthouse
		pic .....	peak
		pierre .....	stone
		pignon .....	gable
		pin .....	pine or fir tree
		plage .....	shore, beach
		plaine .....	plain
		plat .....	flat, level
		plateau .....	table land, or flat below water
		pleine mer .....	high water
		pointe .....	point
		pont .....	bridge, deck
		port .....	port, harbour
		presqu'ile .....	peninsula
		Q	
		quai .....	quay, wharf
		R	
		rade .....	road, roadstead
		rafate .....	squall
		raz .....	race; violent tidal stream
		recif .....	reef
		redoute .....	redoubt, fort
		ressac .....	surf
		rivage .....	shore
		rive .....	bank of river

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riviere .....	river	terre-plein.....	levelled ground, platform
roche.....	rock	tertre.....	hillock, knoll
rocher .....	rock generally above water	tete .....	head
rond .....	round	torrent.....	stream, torrent
rouge .....	red	tour .....	tower
roux, rousse.....	reddish	tourelle .....	small town, turret
ruisseau .....	rivulet	traverse .....	shallow ridge across channel or river
		tribord .....	starboard
<b>S</b>		<b>V</b>	
sable .....	sand	val .....	narrow valley
sablon .....	fine sand	vallee.....	valley
saeptrional .....	northern	vasiere .....	mudbank
saline .....	salt water lagoon, salt works	vent .....	wind
seche.....	dry shelf, flat	vert .....	green
sevil .....	sill (as of a dock)	vieil, vieille, vieux .....	old, ancient
sommet.....	summit	village .....	village
sud .....	south	ville .....	town
<b>T</b>		vive-eau.....	spring tide
temps .....	time, weather		
tenue.....	holding ground		